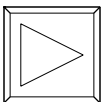


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Follow the restoration
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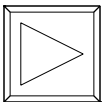


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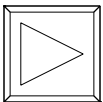


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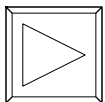
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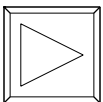
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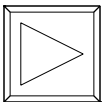


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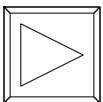
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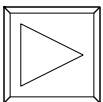


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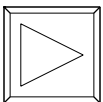


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Looking
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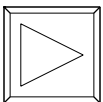


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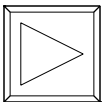


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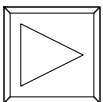
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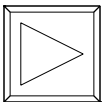
Tail Gunner



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Inside tail
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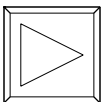


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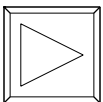


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Engines



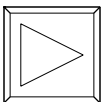
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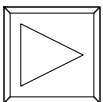


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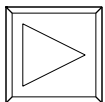
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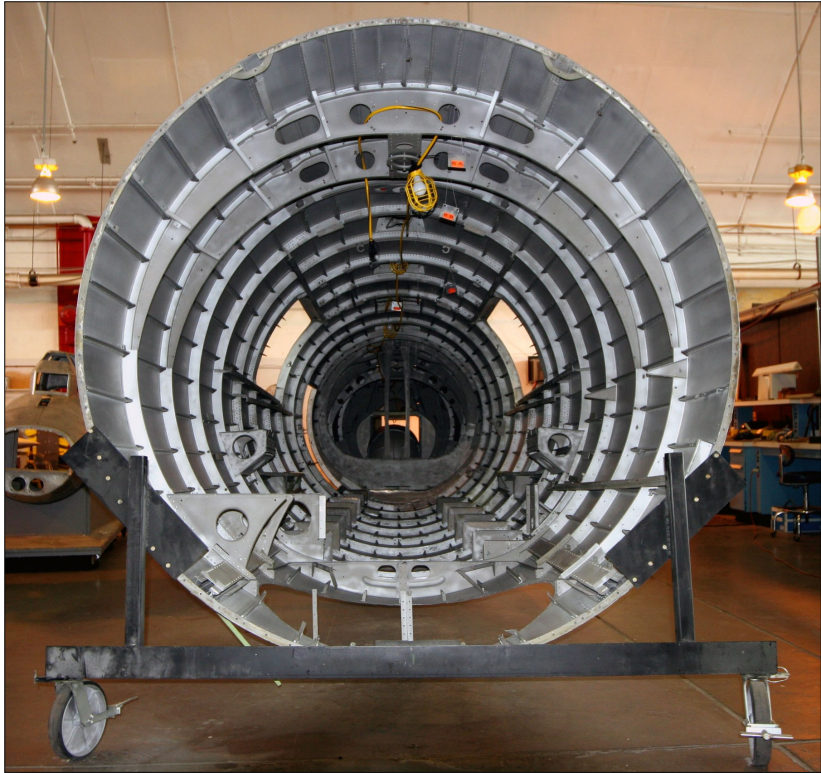


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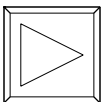


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Looking through two
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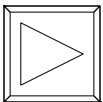


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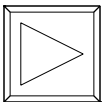
Wing parts



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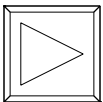


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Fuselage
views



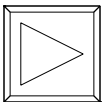
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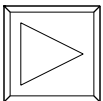
Another section of the
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Tail Gunner



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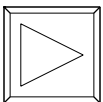
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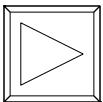


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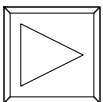
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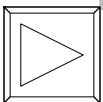
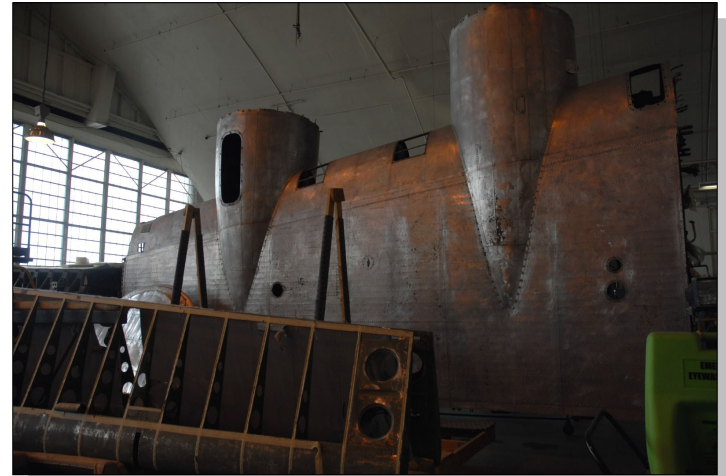
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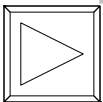
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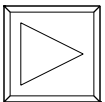
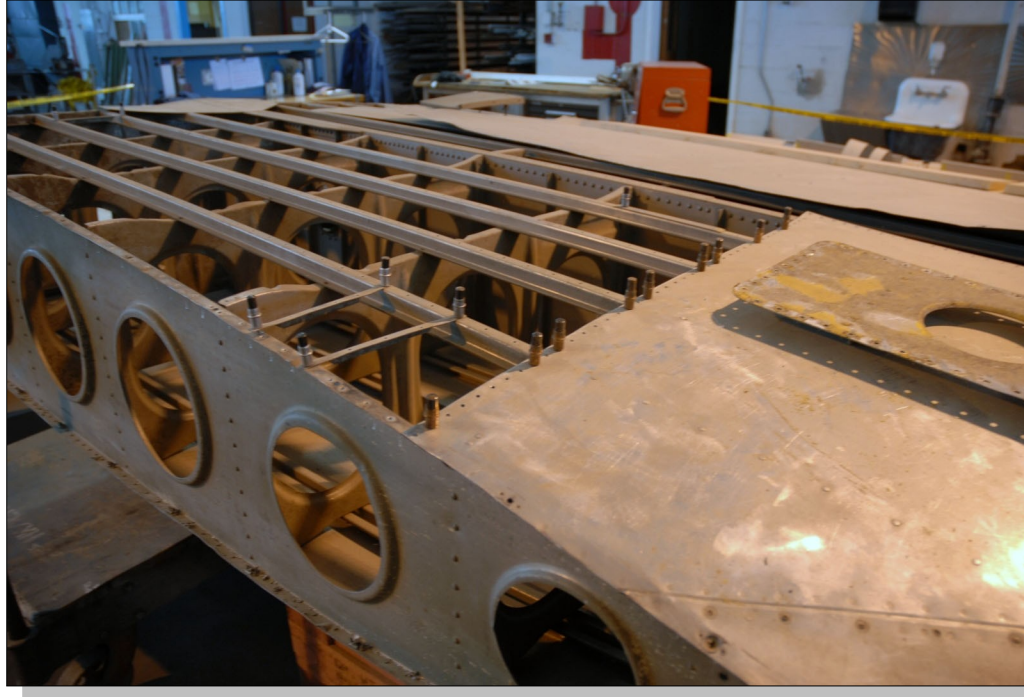
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fuselage views



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